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GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

F.2(413)-DHE/UDCA/2022/1590

Dated, Agartala, the 29th April, 2025.

NOTIFICATION

The Mata Tripura Sundari Open University, Tripura Act, 2024 (Act 1 of 2024) has been notified and published in the Tripura Gazette.

2. In sub-section 3(d) of Section-3 of the said Act, it is stated that "The University shall be the sole authority to exclusively deal with open education and perform all such other functions as may be deemed necessary by the University for advancing the cause of open education or as may be incidental or conducive to discharge of powers and functions of University" which actually means that for the purpose of dealing with open education and related functions of the University, the University shall be the sole authority.

Some confusion have arisen to the effect that this provision of the enables the university to be the sole authority to exclusively deal with open education and related other functions as a whole in the State.

- Section 53 of the Act defines that
- (i) "If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions to this Act. the State Government may be by a notification or order, make such provisions, not inconsistent with the provision of this Act. as appear to it to be necessary or expedient, for removing the difficulty:
- (ii) Provided that no notifications, order under sub-section (i) shall be made after it is made the expiration of period of three years from the commencement of this Act:
- (iii) Every order made under sub-section (i) shall be laid, as soon as may be after it is made before the State Legislature:
- (iv) No order made under sub-section (ii) shall be called in question in any Court on the ground that no difficulty as referred in that sub-section existed or was required to be removed."
- 4. Therefore, in exercise of power conferred by section 53(1) of the Act and in order to remove such difficulties, it is hereby clarified that the University shall be the authority to exclusively deal with open education and perform all such other functions as may be deemed necessary by the University for advancing the cause of open education or as may be incidental or conducive to discharge all powers and functions within the University.
- 5. This is issued as per advice of the Law Department in Note No.-4 of file No.F.2(413)-DHE/UDCA/2022(V-I).

Τo

The Registrar

Mata Tripura Sundari Open University, Udaipur.

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